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SUBJECT: OECD/CST - REVIEW OF FRENCH NATIONAL POLICY  
FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION, SPRING 1975.  
REQUEST FOR MELVIN DAY, NLM, TO CHAIR PANEL OF  
EXAMINERS.

1. FRENCH GOVERNMENT HAS REQUESTED THAT DAY  
CHAIR PANEL OF EXAMINERS THAT WILL REVIEW FRENCH STI  
POLICY IN FRAMEWORK OF INFORMATION POLICY GROUP (IPG)  
PLENARY MEETING, SPRING 1976. ALL TRAVEL AND  
SUBSISTENCE EXPENSES WILL BE MET BY OECD OR FRENCH  
AUTHORITIES. OTHER EXAMINERS: MARTIN CREMER, DIRECTOR,  
FEDERAL INFORMATION/DOCUMENTATION SERVICE, FRANKFURT,  
FRG; RAFAEL QUERALT, DIRECTOR, SPANISH CHEMICAL  
INFORMATION/DOCUMENTATION SERVICE, BARCELONA, SPAIN.

2. FOLLOWING IS ABRIDGED TEXT OF REQUEST FROM  
FRENCH PERM DEL TO MISSION:"FRENCH GOVERNMENT HAS ASKED  
ME TO REQUEST US DELEGATION OBTAIN AUTHORIZATION FOR  
MR. MELVIN DAY, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, NATIONAL LIBRARY OF  
MEDICINE, TO CHAIR PANEL OF EXAMINERS FOR SPRING 1976  
REVIEW FRENCH SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION  
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POLICY. FRENCH AUTHORITIES BELIEVE THAT

RECENTLY CREATED NATIONAL OFFICE OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION, WHICH ESTABLISHES AND APPLIES FRANCE'S POLICY IN THIS FIELD, HAS REACHED POINT WHERE SUCH REVIEW WILL BE OF INTEREST TO ALL CONCERNED, AND THAT MR. DAY IS EXPERT BEST QUALIFIED TO MAKE EVALUATION OF ITS FUNCTIONING AND RESULTS TO-DATE."

3. MISSION RECOMMENDS THAT DAY BE MADE AVAILABLE, SUBJECT TO PRESSURE OTHER BUSINESS. HIS PARTICIPATION AS CHAIRMAN EXAMINING PANEL WILL PROVIDE INTER ALIA USEFUL OPPORTUNITY TO (A) INITIATE OR STRENGTHEN APPROPRIATE US-FRENCH BILATERAL INFORMATION EXCHANGES IN SPECIFIC FIELDS, (B) CONSIDER FOLLOW-UP TO OECD PILOT STUDY, (LED BY US) TO EXAMINE ADVANTAGES OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION TO EXTEND US/NLM COMPUTERIZED TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION SYSTEM.

4. DAY'S PARTICIPATION WOULD INVOLVE A FALL 1975 VISIT TO FRANCE TO DISCUSS AND COORDINATE ISSUES IN EXAMINERS' REPORT, PLUS PARTICIPATION IN THE SPRING 1976 REVIEW MEETING.

5. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.  
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